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CHICAGO OUTLET (11:30 - 12:30 PM CDST)	WMAQ BLUE	AUGUST 15, 1941
		DATE DAY
PRODUCTION		FRIDAY
ANNOUNCER		
ENGINEER		
REMARKS		

2. ANNOUNCER: Uncle Sam's Forest Rangers!
3. MUSIC: Theme
4. ANNOUNCER: I'll bet a lot of us have never stopped to realize what a big part wood and its products - like plastics, cellulose, and rayon - play in our daily lives. Just for the fun of it some time, why not make a check of your own home, room for room, -- looking for things made of wood or wood products. Your radio in its wooden or wood plastic cabinet is most likely near you right now. Then there's the table and chairs, picture frames, moldings and of course, the floor. Back in the kitchen you've got wooden utensils no doubt, and wood handles on your broom, carpet sweeper, and on some of your cooking utensils. There's wood for the fireplace, and wood matches to light it with. Maybe there's rayon curtains, and the newspapers and journals that come in the mail are printed on paper made from wood pulp. Down in your basement or out in the garage we'd probably find wooden-handled hammers, and screwdrivers and the like, and boxes and crates. Well, that's just a start. Your house itself, if it's like four-fifths of the homes in the United States, is built of wood. Actually, more than four thousand uses of wood are known. No wonder wood is called "the material of universal use." No wonder, then, that the future welfare of our country is so inevitably associated with wood and with the forests that produce it.

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1. ANNOUNCER: (CONTINUED) When once we appreciate this fact we can
2. understand why the proper use, proper management and
3. proper protection of our forests are so very important.
4. But now let's see what's happening on the Pine Cone
5. National Forest. Right at the moment we find Ranger Jim
6. Robbins and his assistant Jerry Quick have just stopped
7. along the road to replace a fire poster. Here they are....
8. JERR: Jim, if i could just get my hands of these birds that
9. pepper our signs full of gunshot.....
10. JIM: Not only our signs, Jerry. I can't understand what makes
11. a person want to shoot at all the road signs and information
12. markers that are put up to help the public.
13. JERRY: Well, Jim, I bet it's the fellows that can't hit anything
14. else that fill'em full of holes. Seems to me they ought
15. to put a bag limit on signs like they do on deer or quail
16. ...But that'd only encourage more sign shooting, I
17. suppose. Everybody'd try to get the limit.
18. JIM (CHUCKLES) Maybenot, Jerry. The thing might work out
19. like it did for the farmer that put up his Happy Hunting
20. Grounds sign.
21. JERRY: Huh? And Indian, Jim?
22. JIM: No, just a smart farmer that knew human nature. He had
23. a nice piece of woods with a little brook running through
24. it that he'd worked with for some years, trying to build
25. up a little wildlife area for his family and his friends.

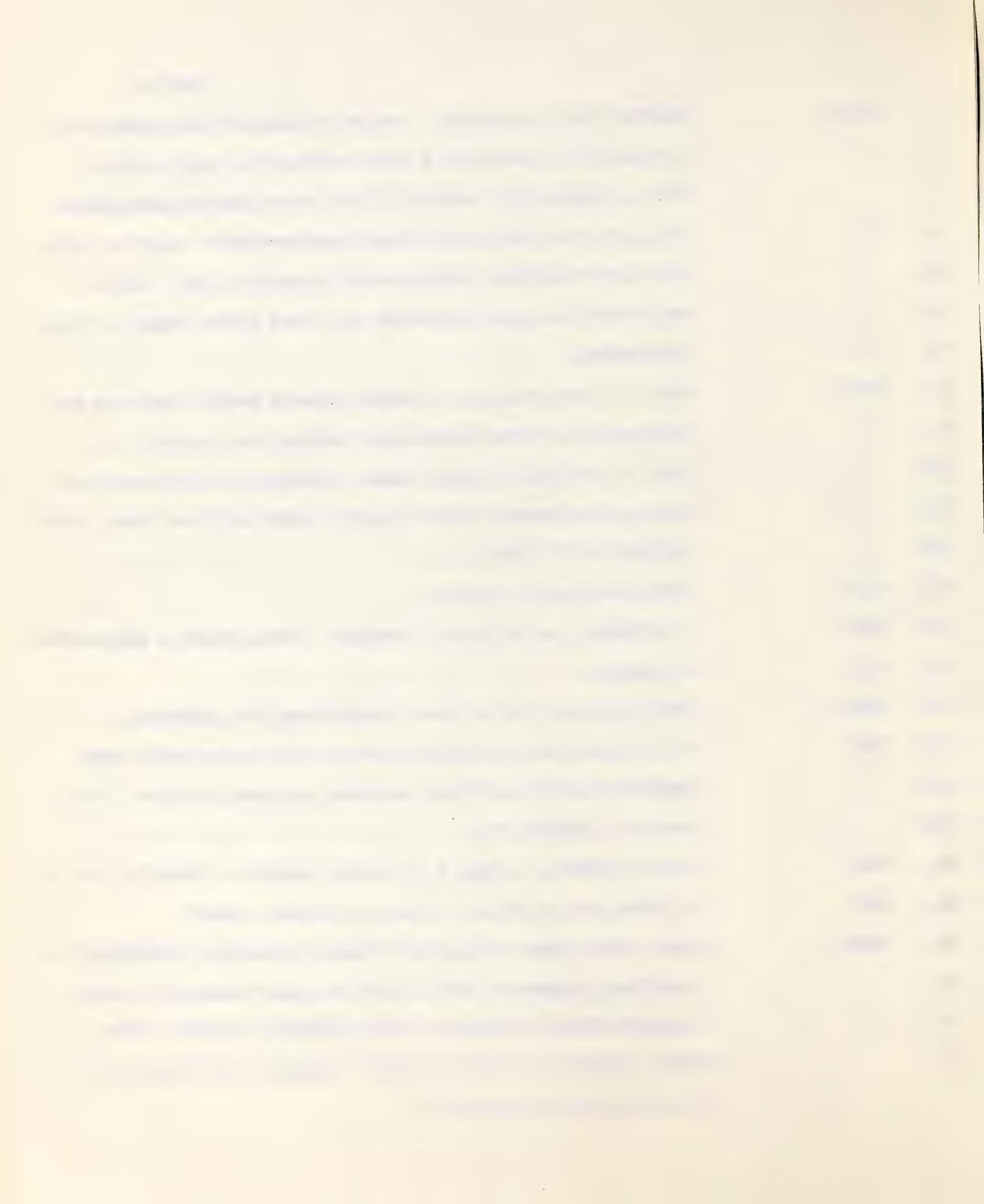
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full, as ibid. lxx. viii.

1. JIM: (CONTINUED) He had the place posted with big white signs
2. lettered in red, No Hunting, Fishing or Trapping Allowed,
3. Under Penalty of Fine or Imprisonment. You could see
4. 'em a mile away.
5. JERRY: Well, what was wrong about that? He had a right to post
6. his property.
7. JIM: He had a perfect legal right. But by the time the fishing
8. season was over the banks of his pretty little stream were
9. covered with bait cans and empty cigarette packs and lunch
10. papers. And when the hunting season rolled around his
11. woods were so full of hunters it sounded like a Fourth
12. of July celebration.
13. JERRY: Didn't keep the trespassers off, huh?
14. JIM: No. But finally he hit on a scheme. He put up some
15. signs that read, Happy Hunting Ground. Everybody Hunts
16. and Fishes Here. Welcome Stranger!
17. JERRY: Then they really charged onto his land, huh?
18. JIM: Nope. What happened, Jerry, was that hunters and fishermen
19. driving along past his place would see the signs and then
20. drive right on by. They figured there must be a catch
21. to it somewhere because....
22. JERRY: (LAUGHS) I guess the fellow was a good psychologist at
23. that... Say, what poster you want up here?
24. JIM: This one, Jerry. The one about taking care with cigarettes.
- 25.

1. JERRY: Yeah. Good idea, Jim. Right here where tourists stop
2. for the view, they get so busy looking at the scenery
3. they forget what they do with their cigarettes. Hand
4. it here....How's that? Straight enough?
5. JIM: Up a little on the left....That's it O.K. Nail 'er on.
6. SOUND OF HAMMERING....PAUSHAMMER AGAIN AS SOUND OF MOTOR FADES IN
7. JERRY: Okeydoke...Hope people'll read it....Say, Jim, looks like
8. that fellow coming up the road is going to stop here.
9. JIM: Yeah, if his brakes hold, that is.
10. MOTOR COMES IN FULL AND STOPS WITH SCREECHING BRAKES
11. JERRY: One of these gasolines cowboys, huh, Jim?
12. JIM: We better go on down there and see what he wants, Jerry.
13. JERRY: All right. I'll just clean up here, and get the tools
14. and stuff together. Be along in a minute.
15. JIM: Okay, Jerry. I'll meet you at the pickup.
16. TOURIST: (COCKY AND GARRULOUS - SLIGHTLY OFF) Hey, Ranger, where's
17. the nearest tourist camp?
18. JIM: Howdy....You passed one about three miles back, Mister.
19. TOURIST: (UP) I ain't got time to turn around and go back there.
20. How far's the next one?
21. JIM: About forty miles.
22. TOUR: Forty miles! Too far. I'll fall asleep 'fore I get there.
23. Been driving all night.
24. JIM: Where you bound for?
25.

1. TOUR: Headin' for the coast. Got me a slipin' bag along so
2. I guess I'll use that when I get up the road aways.
3. It's a wonder they wouldn't put more cabins along here.
4. JIM: Well, in the National Forest here we don't want to have
5. too many mushroom developments sprouting up. But I
6. reckon we can grant permits for more cabin camps as they
7. are needed.
8. TOUR: Uh h h. Say you are a Ranger aren't you? How come you
9. slant up in a tower somewhere looking for fires?....
10. What if the boss ranger comes along and finds you down
11. here on the road? You'd catch plenty of fire then, huh?
12. (LAUGHS - BIG JOKE)....
13. JIM: (DRYLY) Maybe so, Mister.
14. TOUR: No offense, no offense, brother. Here, have a cigarette!
15. JIM: No thanks.
16. TOUR: Gotta smoke a lot to keep awake when I'm driving.
17. JIM: You'll want to be careful about what you do with your
18. cigarette butts and your matches up here, Mister. The
19. forests' pretty dry.
20. TOUR: Huh? (LAUGHS).... Say, I'm always careful. What's the goin'
21. JIM: We were just putting a sign up there.... see?
22. TOUR: Where that other fella left. Yeah, I see it. (READING) Be
23. sure Your Cigarette is Out Before you Through It Away...
24. (LAUGHS) Say, is that all you guys got to do? Ride
25. around puttin' up signs tellin' people what they cut to
do with their cigarettes?



5. JIM: No, we've got other things to do too. But we want to
6. warn folks...they're pretty forgetful, sometimes. And
7. there's a fine or imprisonment, or both, staring anybody
8. in the face that starts a forest fire.
9. TOUR: (LESS COCKY) Yeah?M-a-m-m...I never knew that... Well I
10. got to be movin' on.
11. SOUND OF MOTOR STARTING UP
12. JIM: So long, Mister. Remember about those smokes.
13. TOUR: O.K., my friend. So long.
14. SOUND OF GEARS, MOTCH UP AND CUT AS JERRY COMES ON
15. JERRY: (FADING IN) Wise guy, huh, Jim?
16. JIM: You should have come on down here and been more sociable,
17. Jerry.
18. JERRY: I didn't like his looks, Jim. One of those smart alecks,
19. wasn't he?....What did he want?
20. JIM: He was looking for a place to stay. And I Plumb forgot
21. to tell him about Bear Cove up ahead. He could have
22. bedded down there, in the clear.
23. JERRY: Well, what did you talk about all that time?
24. JIM: Oh, about smoking generally and about his cigarettes in
25. particular.
26. JERRY: Yeah, he's the kind of smart guy that usually causes the
27. most trouble.
28. JIM: Well, I guess he's one of these fellas that don't like
29. to be told anything. But maybe he got the idea all right,

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1. JERRY: Yeah? Well, I guess you didn't get it over completely,
2. Jim. Look here, on the road. This burning cigarette.
3. JIM: Well, that scallywag...Right after I told him (FADE) to
4. be careful too.
5. MUSICAL INTERLUDE
6. SOUND OF MOTOR - SUSTAIN
7. JERRY: Jim, I don't want to sound like a nursemaid but Mr.
8. Robbins told me to get you back home in time for supper,
9. just for once.
10. JIM: (CHUCKLES) All right, Jerry. There's just one other sign
11. I want to replace, while we're on our way back-- the one
12. up there where the trail head off the road to Bald
13. Mountain. Then we'll head in. I'm getting a bit on the
14. hungry side myself
15. JERRY: Who said anything about being hungry:
16. JIM: (CHUCKLES) You did, even if you didn't use these exact
17. words..... Jerry! Look....near the road at the base of
18. Bald Mountain. Isn't that smoke?
19. JERRY: By George, you're right, Jim. There must be a fire up
20. ahead.
21. JIM: Step on it, Jerry.
22. INCREASE MOTOR SPEED
23. JIM: There's a car in the road.
24. JERRY: Looks like that wise guy's car, Jim.
25. JIM: You're right. It is.

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1. JERRY: I can make out two men, Jim.
2. JIM: Yep.
3. JERRY: And a mule, too. See, off to the side of the car?
4. JIM: Yep.
5. JERRY: It's Slim. And that's his mule. Bertha.
6. JIM: Yep. Slim was carrying supplies up to Bald Mountain
7. Lookout today.
8. JERRY: Looks like Slim's having trouble with that wise guy, Jim.
9. JIM: No. Slim's holding him up. The poor fellow looks all in.
10. Pull up here, Jerry. We'll see what it's all about.
11. JERRY: Looks like the fire's out already.
12. MOTOR OUT, CAR DOORS SLAM SHUT
13. JIM: Hey, Slim! What's going on here?
14. SLIM: Yo Jim. I sure am glad you and Jerry come by. Here,
15. wait'll I get this bird down. (SOUND OF THUMP) I'm
16. tired of holdin' him up.
17. TOUR: You needn't be so rough.
18. JIM: Here, I'll help you up, Mister....There...Now, what's
19. the story, Slim?
20. SLIM: Well, me an' Bertha was acomin' down from Badl Mountain.
21. Carried supplies up there today, y'know. I sighted a
22. smoke down here at the bottom. An' sure 'nough after
23. comin' 'bout halfway down, Bertha let on somethin' was
24. wrong, Bertha and me came tearing down here an' we found
25. this...this city fella here...

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1. JIM: Yeah, I met him a while back.
2. BILL: Well, sir, he was asleepin' on his sleepin' bag right in the middle of these pine needles. And there was a pack of cigarettes and some matches right alongside him. The fire was just startin' to chase up the slope, so I Yanked him up and made 'im help put 'er out. We was lucky she hadn't got much of a start, Jim, but this here duff's mighty dry and we had to work like all get out to keep'er from gittin' away. An' smoke like that's awful bad for Bertha.
3. JIM: M-m-m. I see.
4. TOUR: Look here, Ranger. I didn't start any fire. I was sleeping, see? Got so tired driving I pulled up here and spread my sleeping bag out and went to sleep. And then first thing I knew this..this....
5. JIM: Do any smoking before you went to sleep?
6. JERRY: (ANGRY) We want the truth now....
7. JIM: I'll handle this, Jerry. Well, Mister?
8. TOUR: Just one cigarette.
9. JIM: How about your match? Did you break it in two after you lit your cigarette?
10. TOUR: Break it? No...I...I...I guess I...
11. JERRY: Wh. t did you do with your cigarette butt?
- 12.
- 13.

1. TOUR: I...I don't know...But a little thing like a cigarette butt couldn't have started a fire like this. (TOUGH)
2.
3. Look here, you fellows ain't gonna pin this on me. I
4. didn't start that fire.
5. JERRY: You're going to tell us lightning bugs started it. Huh?
6. JIM: Take it easy, Jerry.
7. TOUR: Look here now. Listen. I helped this Slim guy put out
8. that fire and my blankets got burned up. You're going
9. to pay me for....
10. JIM: Wait a minute. Remember me saying something about a
11. fine or imprisonment for people who start fires?
12. TOUR: What's that got to do with my blankets that got burned?
13. They cost me plenty and you' going to pay me...
14. JIM: If you like we'll let the J. P. settle all this... I
15. suggest you listen for a minute.
16. TOUR: Oh, awright. Go ahead.
17. JIM: See that hill over there straight ahead of you? There's
18. a big difference between that hill and the other one, isn't
19. there? That one's black and desolate looking. They call
20. it Black Hill around here now. Four years ago it was
21. green and pretty, but that was before a fellow dropped a
22. cigarette in the pine needles just like you did today.
23. TOUR: I tell you....
24.
25.

1. JIM: It cost us eight thousand dollars to put that fire out.
2. A. Fire caused by a lighted cigarette. More than \$20,000
3. worth of timber burned up as a result of a carelessly
4. dropped cigarette butt. One of our men lost his life
5. fighting that fire. And, Mister, if Slim here hadn't
6. happened along when he did, nine chances out of ten,
7. you'd have been in a bad way...Yes, you, and your car,
8. too, if the wind had changed just a little....
9. TOUR: You mean I'd have burned.....
10. JIM: That's exactly what I mean.
11. TOUR: And just because of a cigarette butt I tossed on the
12. ground?
13. JIM: That's right....
14. TOUR: Well...I...guess you win. Ranger...I'm ready to go on
15. down and see that J.P. with you....But wait a minute,
16. will you?...Slim:
17. SLIM: Yes sir?
18. TOUR: Slim, you better take this pack of cigarettes.
19. SLIM: Huh?
20. TOUR: Yeah, take 'em. Me ...I've sworn off smoking 'till I (FADE)
21. get to the Pacific Ocean at least.
22. MUSICAL FINALE
23. ANNOUNCER: Uncle Sam's Forest Rangers comes to you each Friday over
24. the National Farm and Home Hour as a presentation of the
25. National broadcasting Company with the cooperation of the

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